

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

STEVEN MULLINS,

Plaintiff,

v.

RICHARD LISENBEE, et al,

Defendants.

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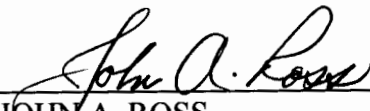
**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

Plaintiff, a prisoner, moves for leave to proceed in forma pauperis in this civil action, filed under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2), a party seeking such leave is required to submit a certified copy of his prison trust account statement for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint. Plaintiff has not done so. A “certified copy” is one that has been certified by an authorized prison officer that it is a true and correct copy.

Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that, within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, plaintiff must submit a certified copy of his prison trust account statement for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 2016.

  
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JOHN A. ROSS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE